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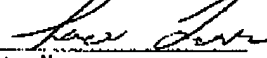
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ApplicantRESPONSE

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2005. Reference is made to the accompanying Declaration of the Inventors Isaac Levanson and Yonathan Lavi, which is submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.131.

It is respectfully submitted that Skoll (US Patent 6,671,424) is not prior art and, therefore, the prior art rejections may not rely on this patent and need to be withdrawn.

Skoll's application for his US patent 6,671,424 was filed 25 July, but the Inventors herein developed their invention in November 1999 and had a working model in December 1999 and January 2000.

"A rejection based on 35 U.S.C. 102(e) can be overcome by ... Filing an affidavit or declaration under 37 CFR 1.131 showing prior invention ..." (M.P.E.P. ¶ 706.02(b)).

Therefore, since the subject invention was made prior to the earliest effective date of the Skoll patent, Skoll is not prior art. Accordingly, Applicant hereby respectfully requests that the prior art rejections be withdrawn.

Since there were no other rejections or objections stated in the July 29, 2005 Office Action, a Notice of Allowance should issue.

It is, therefore, requested that a Notice of Allowance issue and that all of the pending claims be allowed.

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